

General Assembly

Raised Bill No. 5649

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Referred to Committee on Select Committee on Veterans' Affairs

Introduced by: (VA)

AN ACT CONCERNING A SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR VETERANS' ORGANIZATIONS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Subdivision (8) of section 12-412 of the 2008 supplement
- 2 to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in
- 3 lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2008*):
- 4 (8) Sales of tangible personal property or services to any
- 5 organization that is exempt from federal income tax under Section
- 6 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or any veterans'
- 7 organization that is exempt from federal income tax under Section 501
- 8 (c)(19) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or any subsequent
- 9 corresponding internal revenue code of the United States, as from time
- 10 to time amended, and that the United States Treasury Department has
- 11 expressly determined, by letter, to be an organization that is described
- 12 in Section 501(c)(3) or (13) of said internal revenue code. At the time of
- 13 the sale that is exempt under this subsection, the organization shall, in
- 14 order to qualify for said exemption, do one of the following: (A)
- 15 Present to the retailer (i) a copy of the United States Treasury
- 16 Department determination letter that was issued to such organization,

and (ii) a certificate, in such form as the commissioner may prescribe, certifying that a United States Treasury Department determination letter has been issued to such organization and has not been revoked and that the tangible personal property or services that are being purchased from the retailer by such organization are to be used or consumed exclusively for the purposes for which such organization was established, or (B) present to the retailer (i) a copy of the exemption permit that was issued pursuant to this subsection by the commissioner to such organization before July 1, 1995, after a determination of eligibility by the commissioner, and (ii) a certificate, in such form as the commissioner may prescribe, certifying that an exemption permit was issued pursuant to this subsection by the commissioner to such organization before July 1, 1995, and was not revoked and that the tangible personal property or services that are being purchased from the retailer by such organization are to be used or consumed exclusively for the purposes for which the organization was established. The organization shall be liable for the tax otherwise imposed if such tangible personal property or services are not used or consumed exclusively for the purposes for which the organization was established.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following		
sections:		
Section 1	July 1, 2008	12-412(8)

Statement of Purpose:

To exempt veterans' organizations from the sales tax.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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